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Applic. No. : 10/791,547 Confirmation No.  
Applicant : Wilma Albert et al.  
Filed : March 1, 2004  
Title : Vacuum Cleaner with Pivotal Fixture for Dust  
Bag Reinforcing Plate in a Dust Bag  
Compartment  
Group Art Unit : Not Assigned  
Examiner : Not Assigned  
Docket No. : ZTP01P15112  
Customer No. : 24131

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**Mail Stop Non Fee Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
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S i r :

Preliminary to the examination of the instant application,  
kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 16 of this paper.

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